

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1997 - 1000 MST
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL I

CURRENT SITUATION: Large fire activity was reported in the Southern Area. Moderate fire activity continued in southern California. Elsewhere, minimal initial attack fire activity was reported. Several units in southern California are reporting high to very high fire indices.

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT	UNIT	ST	SIZE	%	EST	TOTAL	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST	\$\$\$
				CTN	CTN	PERS				LOST	LOSS	C-T-D
Big County Fire Response	TXS	TX	850	100	----	9	0	1	0	0	NR	NR

TXS = Texas State Forest Service

OUTLOOK:

The high pressure over southern California will weaken Saturday and Sunday, bringing partly cloudy conditions with low morning fog and low clouds along the coast. A series of storm systems will move into the area beginning Monday increasing the chance of rain at the lower elevations and snow at the higher mountain peaks Tuesday through Thursday. High temperatures through Sunday will reach the 70's in the valleys, 55 to 65 in the mountains and 70's to the 80's in the deserts. Cooler conditions can be expected Monday through Thursday with temperatures dropping into the 40's to mid 50's in the mountains and 60's to mid 70's across the valleys and deserts.

East Texas and Louisiana will experience partly cloudy and dry conditions Friday and Saturday. There is a chance of rain Sunday and Monday as a cold front moves through the area. Mostly sunny and dry conditions return on Tuesday and continue through Thursday. High temperatures will be in the upper 60's to lower 70's, cooling into the 50's and lower 60's Tuesday and Wednesday.

In Florida, the cold front currently in the southern part of the state will move out of the area on Friday. The southeast part of the state can expect a few rain showers Friday. Mostly sunny conditions will prevail Saturday through Monday. Another cold front will move into the state on Tuesday and Wednesday bringing scattered showers and thunderstorms. High temperatures in the northern part of the state will be in the 60's with 70's in the south.

FIRES: 10/31 through 11/6

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA							NR

NORTHWEST		1				3	4
CA-NORTH							
CA-SOUTH					67	24	91
NORTHERN							NR
GB-EAST		1				3	4
GB-WEST							NR
SOUTHWEST							NR
ROCKY MTN					1		1
EASTERN					2		2
SOUTHERN			3		39	6	48
USA	0	2	3	0	109	36	150

ACRES BURNED: 10/31 through 11/6

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA							NR
NORTHWEST		0				0	0
CA-NORTH							
CA-SOUTH					501	12	513
NORTHERN							NR
GB-EAST		2				0	2
GB-WEST							NR
SOUTHWEST							NR
ROCKY MTN					1		1
EASTERN					1		1
SOUTHERN			32		191	81	304
USA	0	2	32	0	694	93	821

RESOURCE STATUS: Committed Resources

AREA	CREWS		ENGINES		HELICOP.		AIRTNK.		OVERHEAD	
	FED	ST/O	FED	ST/O	FED	ST/O	FED	ST/O	FED	ST/O
ALASKA										
NORTHWEST										
CA-NORTH										
CA-SOUTH			2		2		1			
NORTHERN										
GB-EAST				2						
GB-WEST										
SOUTHWEST										
ROCKY MTN										
EASTERN										
SOUTHERN										
USA	0	0	2	2	2	0	1	0	0	0

FED = FEDERAL AND FEDERAL CONTRACT RESOURCES

ST/O = STATE OR OTHER RESOURCES

NR = NO REPORT

FIRES: Year to date

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	6	86	52	14	530	11	699
NORTHWEST	195	336	20	93	1,181	1,138	2,963

CA-NORTH	81	63	2	19	2,694	855	3,714
CA-SOUTH	124	391	3	64	3,862	926	5,370
NORTHERN	529	31	29	27	355	602	1,573
GB-EAST	26	502		14	304	573	1,419
GB-WEST		401		17	71	194	683
SOUTHWEST	806	172	19	83	874	1,758	3,712
ROCKY MTN	594	400	20	41	1,738	381	3,174
EASTERN	551			34	13,234	405	14,224
SOUTHERN	4		117	65	24,770	729	25,685
USA	2,916	2,382	262	471	49,613	7,572	63,216
10 YEAR AVERAGE							65,336

ACRES BURNED: Year to date							
AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	28	833,991	761,110	19,670	295,526	32	1,910,357
NORTHWEST	976	20,603	6,573	375	5,755	5,396	39,678
CA-NORTH	107	671	230	2,440	14,488	1,519	19,455
CA-SOUTH	1,856	24,555	2,419	576	38,211	93,955	161,572
NORTHERN	7,031	570	2,107	6	5,423	747	15,884
GB-EAST	24	53,346		42	13,479	4,576	71,467
GB-WEST		38,217		2	418	4,362	42,999
SOUTHWEST	4,715	4,589	1,779	1,918	132,355	13,541	158,897
ROCKY MTN	5,359	8,274	446	1,394	32,502	1,954	49,929
EASTERN	3,191			120	51,592	5,236	60,139
SOUTHERN	12		12,736	3,653	258,597	18,287	303,285
USA	23,299	84,816	787,400	30,196	5585,246	149,605	2,833,662
10 YEAR AVERAGE							996,094

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